## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please substitute the paragraph starting at page 23, line 2 and ending at page 23, line 5 with the following replacement paragraph:

Note here that the method for detecting mage image data of production is not limited to the above-mentioned example but may be any as far as it scan can detect that the data of interest is production.

Please substitute the paragraph starting at page 37, line 16 and ending at page 37, line 19 with the following replacement paragraph:

The printer 103 forms an image based on the image data sent from step S1213 on a recording medium according to the above-mentioned mage image forming procedure and outputs it.

Please substitute the paragraph starting at page 48, line 19 and ending at page 49, line 5 with the following replacement paragraph:

The information abut about this image data desired to be printed is (1) address information of the author's side host computer which manages the copyright of the other paintings if the above-mentioned desired image data is one panting painting of his, and (2) address information of a host computer which manages the notes of the other melodies of a composer if that desired image data is the document of one of his, and (3) address information of the author's side host computer which manages the other books if that desired image data is one

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of his, and (4) address information of the author's side host computer which manages the other photographs of a photographer if that desired image data is one of the photographs he took.

Please substitute the paragraph starting at page 49, line 20 and ending at page 49, line 23 with the following replacement paragraph:

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Note here that the image contents may not be introduced with their produce names (as shown in Fig. 23) but <u>may</u> be displayed as thumb-nail <u>mages</u> images (down-sized images).